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"TELL MY FRIENDS TO BE BRAVE AND FEARLESS, AND LOYAL TO THE GREAT COMMON PEOPLE."

# The Most STUPENDOUS PROPOSITION EVER MADE TO THE PEOPLE OF ROCKCASTLE.

Take Advantage of it at ONCE as These Special Prices May be WITHDRAWN at any Moment.  
COME THIS Week if POSSIBLE.

No. 1 Flour	\$4.25 a Barrel.	50 Sheets Paper	5 cents.	One and One-half Gallon Bucket	10 cents.
White Swan Patent	4.15 a Barrel.	50 Envelopes	5 cents.	One gallon best Coal Oil	10 cents.
Meat	12½ cents a pound.	Half-gallon Bucket	5 cents.	Gents best Collars	10 cents.
Lard	10c. to 12½c. a pound.	3 Papers best Needles	5 cents.	Gents Nice Ties	10 cents.
Arbuckles Coffee	10c. a pound.	Ladies 10c. Handkerchiefs	5 cents.	Men's Good Suspenders	10 cents.
Granulated Sugar	5½c. a pound.	3 bars "Big Deal" Soap	10 cents.	Men's Nice Sox	5c to 10 cents.
Fine Green Coffee	8½c. to 10c.	3 Bars Lead	5 cents.	Ladies Nice Hose	10 cents.
3 Bars Soap for	5 cents.	12 Lead Pencils	5 cents.	A Good 2 Foot Rule	10 cents.
				3 Daniel Boone Cigars	10 cents.

For HUNDREDS and Hundreds of Bargains Like Above Mentioned  
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GREAT BARGAIN ESTABLISHMENT--Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

WANTED.—STUDENTS! STUDENTS!!

their important work are asked to consider the advantage to be enjoyed at Mt. Vernon.

BOARDING.

This term is drawing fast toward a close and the winter term will soon open, when it is hoped that a large number of young people, anxious to improve their minds and for themselves to make the most of life will avail themselves of the opportunity of entering the Mt. Vernon Collegiate Institute.

That all classes of students may have the best facilities it is proposed to have more teachers added to the present corps, and to have a NORMAL COURSE opened for the benefit of teachers and all those who wish to prepare for this profession. Also a post-graduate course is being considered, which will be duly opened for those who have already graduated from the Institute, if a sufficient number shall wish to enter this advanced course here, and by their patronage assist in building up the home institution rather than to spend their time and means elsewhere.

CHAS. R. HUNT.

PUBLIC SALE.

Having decided to leave the county I will offer at Public Sale to the highest and best bidder, on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH, 1902, about the hour of 10:30 a.m., my farm containing 206 acres, situated on the waters of Silver Creek, in Madison county, Ky., ½ mile from White's Station, convenient to schools, churches and mill and 20 minutes ride on L. & N. from Richmond. This land will be sold in tracts.

First tract containing 122 acres lying on north side of creek. All necessary outbuildings in first-class repair and a fine stock barn costing over \$2,000, also two fine young orchards in full bearing. This is one of the best watered and most fertile farms in Madison county.

Tract No. 2 contains 85 acres and is in grass and corn, finely watered and with good house. I will at the same time sell 20 acres of corn in shock, and 100,000 hard brick and a lot of nice cut stone. Any one desiring to see farm will find man on premises.

TERMS liberal and made known on day of sale. This land will be sold separately and then as a whole with the bid of accepting the bid realizing the most. For further particulars address,

GEO. D. WHITE,

Richmond, Ky.

T. D. Chenault, Auctioneer.

Nov. 21.

CRAB ORCHARD.

Levi Elder is moving into what is known as the old Higgins property.

Miss Sue Hopper is spending a few days with Mrs. W. E. Perkins.

Miss Annie Bonaugh will attend the Saufley-Engleman wedding on the 12th.

W. L. Gover, wife and child of Alabama, are visiting his brother, Curtis Gover.

Boy No. 4 arrived at J. D. Anderson's a few days since. His name is Levi Elder.

J. G. Riddle will move into the house vacated by Elder, which belongs to Ike Herron.

Miss Fannie Langford had a serious fall a few days since, but is able to walk around a little.

Miss Arthusa Cloyd, who left here last March, is attending the High School in Greenfield, Ill.

Mrs. Ruth Coffee and handsome daughter, Miss Lira, of Hiatt, are spending the week with Mrs. Maggee.

W. A. Brooks, drummer for a Cincinnati shoe house, is on the road again after coming home to vote.

Jordon Middleton, who has been traveling over the Northwestern States, returned a few days since to his native town.

Mrs. M. Gormely will leave in a few days for Westport, Ind., to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Cook.

John Turnbull, who went to Oklahoma last spring, has returned to settle his business here, leaving his family there and intends going back soon.

Dr. Stapp and family left on the 6th to make their home with their daughter, Mrs. O. P. McMahan, of Somerset. They had made many friends during their stay among us and we regret to give them up.

Rev. Ira Partin, who left here two weeks ago, writes that he has stopped in Granite, Oklahoma. Says the country is beautiful. A school in the town of 450 students, where he will start his children shortly is one of the features of the place.

BEAUTIFUL CLEAR SKIES.

Herbine exerts a direct influence on the bowels, liver and kidneys, purifying and strengthening these organs, and maintaining them in a normal condition of health; thus removing a common cause of yellow, mottly, greasy skin, and more or less of pimples, blotches and blackheads. 50c. at Chas. C. Davis'

COVE

Born, to the wife of J. W. Riddle, a girl.

Della Proctor, who has been sick, is improving.

Mrs. Eliza Cook is visiting relatives at London, this week.

Mr. Cromer is conducting a singing school at Needmore.

C. C. Owens sold to Robt. Truett two two-year-old steers for \$50.

Newt Seymour is carpentering for the Big Hill Mining Company.

Elder J. W. Riddle filled his appointment at Buckeye, Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Peters, of Louisville, are with relatives here this week.

Mrs. Ance Boreing, of Maretburg, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Boreing, last week.

Mrs. M. Dowel, of Corbin, came up Saturday to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. G. A. Proctor.

Mr. Wm. Stallsworth, of Jellico, came up Saturday to attend the obsequies of his sister, Mrs. G. A. Proctor.

DIED.—On last Thursday evening Mrs. G. A. Proctor passed away. She had been suffering for several months with consumption. She leaves a husband and five children to mourn her loss. The bereaved family have our deepest sympathy.

BEST LINIMENT ON EARTH.

I. M. McHany, Greenville, Tex., writes Nov. 2nd, 1900: "I had rheumatism last winter, was down in bed six weeks; tried everything, but got no relief, till a friend gave me a part of a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. I used it, and got two more bottles. It cured me and I haven't felt any rheumatism since. I can recommend Snow Liniment to be the best liniment on earth for rheumatism." For rheumatic, sciatic or neuralgic pains, rub in Ballard's Snow Liniment, you will not suffer long, but will be gratified with a speedy and effective cure. 25c., 50c. and \$1, at Chas. C. Davis'.

Hiram Hayseed—All the trains on this here line is limited.

Drummer—Limited?

Hiram Hayseed—Yes; limited to eight miles an hour.

WORM DESTROYER.

White's Cream Vermifuge not only kills worms, but removes the mucus and slime, in which they build their nests; it brings, and quickly, a healthy condition of the body, where worms can not exist. 25c. at Chas. C. Davis'.

CONWAY

Dr. W. S. Beldon was in Berea Saturday.

Uncle John Blazer was here Tuesday.

J. S. Gadd was here from Richmond, first of the week, on business.

Our friend, F. L. Thompson, was with the Conway merchants, last Monday.

Dr. Elmer Northcutt was here from Nicholasville, last week on business.

L. C. Smith is rushing things right along, lumber and staves are coming out from Copper creek in abundance.

James Saylor, who has been unable to work on account of having a knee cut, has returned to Anderson county to resume work.

We had the pleasure of calling on the big-hearted L. T. Stewart last Sunday. He took much interest in showing us his fine stock and farm products. Friend L. T. is well pleased with the products of his fertile soil and says that he can raise anything that soil will grow; even to babies. He says he can beat the State, having a three-year-old Democrat that is a fine specimen.

A STARTLING SURPRISE.

Very few could believe in looking at A. T. Hoadley, a healthy, robust blacksmith of Tilden, Ind., that for ten years he suffered such tortures from Rheumatism as few could endure and live. But a wonderful change followed his taking Electric Bitters. "Two bottles wholly cured me," he writes, "and I have not felt a twinge in over a year." They regulate the kidneys, purify the blood and cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Nervousness, improve digestion and give perfect health. Try them. Only 50c. at all druggists.

A DANGEROUS MONTH.

This is the month of coughs, colds and acute catarrh. Do you catch colds easily? Find yourself hoarse, with a tickling in your throat and an annoying cough at night? Then, you should always have handy, a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. J. A. Anderson, 354 West 5th St. Salt Lake City, writes: "We use Ballard's Horehound Syrup for coughs and colds. It gives immediate relief. We know its the best remedy for these troubles. I write this to induce other people to try this pleasant and efficient remedy." 25c., 50c. and \$1, at Chas. C. Davis'.

"We are conducting a campaign of education," said the politician.

"Is that all?" asked his friend.

"You don't want the offices?"

"Oh, well! It's only fair that teachers should be paid."

A minister, a man of prayer, who stubbed his toe against a chayver.

While hunting matches in the dark, was strangled by the choice remark he'd like to say, but didn't say.

In the stomach of a cow butchered near Montrose, Pa., a good-sized pocket-book with a brass clasp was found. The pocket book contained a roll of bills and 43 cts. in change. A shingle nail and a hair pin were also found.

QUAIL

Charlie Rogers is down with typhoid fever.

Steve T. Proctor went to Knoxville, Tuesday.

Perry Wright has been quite sick for several days.

Dr. M. L. Bryant was in this part, Saturday until Monday.

Willie Sutton, son of Geo. Sutton, is reported a little better, at this time.

The people are rejoicing over the nice weather and corn-gathering is the chief occupation.

Dr. Proctor sold a sow and pigs to Sam Acton for \$14..... Gran Rogers sold to Adam Pence, of Stanford, a horse for \$87.50..... John Stringer sold to W. B. Burton, of Lancaster, a pair of horses for \$155..... A. G. and J. M. Craig sold to Dr. Price, a saddle horse for \$80, and bought of Geo. W. Parsons, a mule colt for \$25.

..... G. A. Morgan bought of Mary E. Herrin, a mule colt for \$26.50.

Colds

"I had a terrible cold and could hardly breathe. I then tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and it gave me immediate relief."

W. C. Layton, Sibley, Ill.

How will your cough be tonight? Worse, probably. For it's first a cold, then a cough, then bronchitis or pneumonia, and at last consumption. Coughs always tend downward. Stop this downward tendency by taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Three sizes: 25c., 50c., \$1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then don't take it. It's known to be safe.

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H. H. HENNINGER,  
Of Wayne county is a candidate for State Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce the  
HON J. N. SHARP  
As a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney, subject to the action of the Republican party.

ABOUT the biggest republican in Kentucky to-day and the one who holds the most enviable position of them all is, Congressman Boring of the "Bloody" Eleventh. Next March, the only great and illustrious Debtor will step down and out, to be succeeded by the Hon. James B. McCreary and then there will be left only one Republican from Kentucky and in his hands will rest the entire Republican patronage of the State. If there is not much money left for the Judge, after he gets through making his race, he will, no doubt be perfectly contented with the honor alone, which he will get out of it this time.

GOVERNOR BECKHAM should be satisfied to step down and out. He has had honors and emoluments of office sufficient to satisfy any ordinary mortal and should not offer himself as a candidate in the race to come. He should let well enough alone and not tempt fate too far or he may later regret that his ambition led him to overstep reason and common sense. Let the Governor keep his name out of the pot if he don't want to see it 'bile' over and put out the fire. James D. Black is the man of the hour and has done more for his party and people than any other to be found in a month o' Sundays. Nominate Black and his election is assured.

A LEFT-HANDER from Ed Walton's paper: "As usual the Somerset Republican is wrong. We did not say that Mr. O. H. Waddle went to the republican party for office. What we said was plain enough for any numbskull to understand except possibly Mr. Hansford. Having known Mr. Waddle for many years, and aware of his large law practice, we are surprised at his accepting office. Certainly from a financial standpoint he can not afford to do so."

THE LANCASTER RECORD, one of Kentucky's best weeklies, will be issued Friday's hereafter. We wish Louis would issue his sheet daily.

TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF THE 28TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

The candidacy of Judge Morrow and Mr. Snadon for the judgeship of this judicial district developed such bitterness between their respective friends as to do incalculable harm to the Republican party.

To avoid such results these gentlemen have by mutual consent, and the consent of their respective friends as far as they could be consulted, withdrawn with the understanding that I would agree to announce my candidacy for that office. To do this involved a great personal sacrifice on my part from a business standpoint, and will entail on me official duties I neither sought or desired, but through the urgency of both of these gentlemen and their friends, I finally yielded to the demand to relieve the strained situation and prevent disunion in the party.

I am therefore a candidate subject to the action of the Republican Party, to be expressed in County and District Convention to be held on the 15th and 22nd days of November, 1902.

Entrusted with your banner I promise to carry it to victory, and to the people I guarantee a faithful and conscientious discharge of the high trust reposed in me.

Somerset, October 28, 1902.

Respectfully,  
O. H. WADDLE.

### LIVINGSTON

Mrs. Robert Payne died Tuesday, November 11th, at her home near town, after a lingering illness of consumption. She was about 25 years of age. She leaves a husband, three children, two brothers, a sister and father to mourn their loss. She was a Christian and died in full faith and the happiness of meeting her Savior and loved ones gone before.

Asleep in Jesus, perfect rest! Whose waking is supremely blest, No fear, no foe shall dim that hour, That manifests the Savior's power.

Mrs. Minnie Hooper and son, of Lebanon Junction, are the guests of Mrs. W. F. Perkins and Miss Latta Greer.—Mrs. J. E. Davis and sister, Miss Jennie Hammonds, spent several days this week in Louisville.—Miss Ella Howell entertained a number of her friends, at the Mullins Hotel, Monday evening.—Messrs. Chewning, Sanders and Beard came home from Mt. Vernon, Sunday.—Arthur Botner, John Argenbright and Frank Burton were here Saturday and Sunday.—D. S. McKinney, J. C. Hocker and W. C. Mullins, are in the mountains of Eastern Kentucky, this week.—Miss Bertina Mullins visited at Mt. Vernon, Saturday.—There will be a first-class minstrel show, at Calloway Hall, Thanksgiving evening Nov. 27.—Misses Nellie Thompson and Brown are established at Mrs. Harry Thompson's and will be glad to meet the ladies of Livingston.—We would be pleased at all times to make any kind of announcements for our churches, but ask that all items be given in early.—The Delsarte entertainment Saturday evening was success financially and otherwise.

Mesdames Parker, Magee and Smith, Misses Dillon, Doan, Hendron, Cabe, Mullins, Tubbs, Parsley, Hays, Sambrook, Mitchell, Anna and Lizzie Fishback and Lula Argenbright, Messrs. Harry Lee, Will Soden and Fred Stark were the home talent represented. The Dede Drill brought down the house.—If you have any visitors, or go visiting yourself, please inform us of the fact, so we can make mention of it. We want to give all the news and will be thankful for any favors shown us. Telephone No. 18 or leave items at the drugstore, or just "any old way," so we get them.

Smith Kelley was in Mt. Vernon Wednesday.—Boston Durham was in town Tuesday.—Ben Cox, traveling salesman for Brooks Mead & Co., is in town this week.—Chas. Chandler, a flour and meal druggist, of Pittsburgh, was here Monday.—Nelson Griffin, of Maretburg, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. A. Mullins, and son, David Griffin.—Ed. Owens was here from Lexington Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. John Magee, Mesdames Mahala Carson, Brack Hayes, Wilmoth Poynter and Ballard Mullins have been on the sick list this week.—Mrs. Ed. Woodall returned home Saturday from Maretburg.—Mrs. Bessie Murphy, of Lebanon Junction, is visiting Mrs. J. R. Stucky.—Miss Ella May Saunders is at Corbin. She will give a Delsarte Entertainment there in the near future.—Mrs. Lewis, of Jellico, visited her brother, John Reynolds, at the Riverside Mansion last week. Mrs. Russell Dillon, Atwood and Lynn Neal, are visiting Mrs. J. H. Tucker, at Maywood.—Miss Gladden Ewers, of Mt. Vernon, was the guest of Miss Maggie Sambrook Monday and Tuesday.—Mrs. A. J. Samms was in town shopping Tuesday.—Mrs. L. C. Smith and little son, of Wildie, were the guests of her aunt, Mrs. W. R. Dillon Sunday and Monday.—Mrs. J. E. Singleton is visiting her sister Mrs. Laura Freeman near Somerset.—Dr. W. J. Childress visited homefolks at Orlando Sunday. Mrs. W. J. Childress visited her parents at Pine Hill.—Miss Gertrude Martin returned to Brodhead Sunday. She was the guest of Mrs. Susie Tharp.—Kin Pike and family, of Wilmore, and Mrs. Martha Payne, of Gum Sulphur, were here on account of the death of Mrs. Bob Payne.—Mrs. Brownlie, of East Bernstadt, is visiting Mrs. Van Nuys at the Sambrook hotel. —Ed. Shay went to Covington Wednesday.—Sam Brenton, of Stonega, W. Va., was with his friend, Doc Calloway, Tuesday.—Bob Cole of Barbourville, was at the Riverside Mansion Wednesday. The ladies of the Presbyterian church are holding house to house prayer meeting this week. They were entertained at the Sambrook hotel Tuesday, and by Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper Wednesday afternoon.—Mrs. John R. Carter and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Preston at Jellico this week.—There will be Baptist services at Calloway Hall Sunday 16th conducted by the Rev. J. C. Carmical, of Mt. Vernon.—Rev. W. E. Isenhart was called to Rich-

mond Wednesday on account of the death of Mrs. James Brown.—Mrs. Francis Mershon and family moved Tuesday in one of Mrs. Sue Mullin's houses on Main St.—

W. B. Dillon was in Stanford Friday.—Mr. and M. B. King, of Pineville, passed through here Saturday en route to Lincoln county. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Stark left for their new home at Lebanon Junction Tuesday.

### SCRAPS

(BY JET.)

Give every man a fair deal since you want one yourself.

Customer—You said this suit would wear like iron.

Clother—Well, didn't it?

Customer—Too much so. It's getting rusty already.

May—Oh, I hate these magazine serials!

Edith—Why?

May—You can never tell how a story ends until it is finished.

J. Pierpont Morgan's earnings are \$2 millions this year. Cheap enough. We would not undertake to own and run the world for a cent less.—Somerset Journal.

Ethel—What is more aggravating than a man who tells you of his love and never mentions matrimony?

Edith—Oh, a man who tells you of his money and never mentions matrimony.

According to an official report there were between January 1, 1901, and March 31, 1902, 1,844 strikes in Italy, involving 438,000 men. Two-thirds of these strikes, organized by the socialists, resulted favorably to the men.

"You bear it like a little man," said the dentist, after he had pulled the tooth.

"Huh!" exclaimed Tommy, "I'm a heap grittier than that. I bear it like a little woman."

For Tommy was an observant boy.

The Steam Auto—So you're using that thing to reduce your weight. I shouldn't think there would be sufficient exercise in it for that."

"No, but every time the water gets low I loose about five pounds expecting it to blow up."

"Yes," said Mrs. Cortosse, "the trusts has broke up our son, Josh."

"Did they crowd him out of business?"

"Yes. Josh says that a man with \$1 million or two of dollars doesn't stand any show against the monopolists, an' he might as well quit savin' up money."

Mabel—Poor Eliza! They say he married her for her money.

Tom—Well, he earned it.

Mr. Justwed—Shall I order anything for the house on my way to the office this morning, my dear?

Mrs. Justwed—Yes, love. Step at the grocery store and tell them to send up a five-pound bag of salt right away. And, George, tell them to be sure and see that it is fresh.

A writer in speaking of a Louisiana "cullud" person says: "The negro would butt anything that happened to cross him, and if he had ever had occasion I don't suppose he would have drawn the line on a billy goat, a ram or a bull. The incident I have in mind convinced me that he would not draw the line. One morning he got out to the horse lot earlier than usual and was in a bad humor for some reason. He started to take his bad feeling out on the mule he was to plow with during the day. The first thing he did was to smash his water jug over the mule's head. This did not hurt the mule so much and did not satisfy the negro. He was in one of his more violent fits. Grabbing the mule by the ears with each hand he pulled himself back a full arm's length and landed his head with great violence on the top of the mule's head. If the mule had been struck between the ears with an ax he would not have dropped to the ground more quickly. He fell like a dead ox. But he got up again. The negro was apparently satisfied after this and

went on to the field. When it came to down-right heartlessness he was the most remarkable member I ever saw."

There is a young bachelor not a thousand miles away who wants a nice housekeeper. He is extremely modest in his requirements; one who can cook to perfection, milk six cows, attend the garden and incidentally shuck a little corn for the hogs. Anyone knowing of such a girl will please let him know through the columns of THE DEMOCRAT. P. S.—She must also be stylish and a good looker.—Wichester Democrat.

The girl who can do all the things which the bachelor above referred to mentions in his list of requirements for election to his good graces, is certainly a competent and convenient sort of a companion, but the girl who would do them deserves no better fate than to be hooked for life to just the sort of 18-karat villain as the gentleman referred to by THE DEMOCRAT. Of course Clark county will find it difficult to keep its maidens from brushing themselves up in that mad rush to seize this bargain-counter offer.—Lexington Leader.

### STARTLING, BUT TRUE.

"If every one knew what a grand medicine Dr. King's New Life Pills is," writes D. H. Turner, Dempseytown, Pa., "you'd sell all you have in a day. Two weeks' use has made a new man of me." Infallible for constipation, stomach and liver troubles. 25c. at all drug-gists.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allowing one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children. Experience against Experiment.

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via the Cotton Belt, from St. Louis, Thebes, Cairo and Memphis, first and third Tuesdays of each month, beginning October 21st. For one-way tickets,  
Half the One-Way Rate, plus \$2.00;  
round-trip tickets, one fare plus \$2.00, to points in Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territories. Write for particulars and cost of ticket from your home town.

The promised boom in ginseng nursery stock was somewhat delayed, but it came to the Pulaski dealers like an avalanche during the past week or two. Orders for two-year-old roots first and yearling roots following thick and fast completely exhausted the stock to spare. The "Kentucky" and "Cumberland Mountain" nurseries have also sold everything they will let go and the demand is yet continuous for more. These orders were from every section of the country where the reputation of our splendid nurseries has reached. The smaller gardeners, nearly a hundred in number, scattered over this country, should take heart and push their enterprises with all possible earnestness and vigor. It is a solid fact that no one should question, that the ginseng industry of Pulaski county, now in its incipiency, will ere long become the leading industry of the county, making more money and faster than any other agricultural branch of business.—Somerset Journal.

ASLEEP AMONG FLAMES.  
Breaking into a blazing home, some firemen lately dragged the sleeping inmates from death. Fancied security, and death near. It's that way when you neglect coughs and colds. Don't do it. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption gives perfect protection against all Throat, Chest and Lung Troubles. Keep it near, and avoid suffering, death and doctor's bills. A teaspoonful stops a late cough, persistent use the next stubborn. Harmless and nice tasting, it's guaranteed to satisfy by all druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Don't Take Pills! They temporarily cure constipation by agitating the bowels, but regular action cannot be secured until the liver secretes enough bile to make the intestines execute their natural functions. Unnatural compels continual and increasing doses to attain the results.

Herbine acts on the liver; cures Chills and Fever, and every form of Malaria, Bilious, Remitting and Intermittent Fevers, and, by going to the seat of the trouble, works permanent cure.

FIFTY CENTS PER BOTTLE.

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WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 12,  
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LUCK IN THIRTEEN.  
By sending 13 miles Wm. Spirey, of Walton Furnace, At., got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, that wholly cured a horrible Fever sore on his leg. Nothing else could. Positively cures Bruises, Felons, Ulcers, Eruptions, Boils, Burns, Corus and Piles. Only 25c. Guaranteed by all druggists.

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As a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney,  
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party.

ABOUT the biggest republican in Kentucky to-day and the one who holds the most enviable position of them all is, Congressman Boreing of the "Bloody" Eleventh. Next March, the only great and illustrious Deboe will step down and out, to be succeeded by the Hon. James B. McCleary and then there will be left only one Republican from Kentucky and in his hands will rest the entire Republican patronage of the State. If there is not much money left for the Judge, after he gets through making his race, he will, no doubt be perfectly contented with the honor alone, which he will get out of it this time.

GOVERNOR BECKHAM should be satisfied to step down and out. He has had honors and emoluments of office sufficient to satisfy any ordinary mortal and should not offer himself as a candidate in the race to come. He should let well enough alone and not tempt fate too far or he may later regret that his ambition led him to overstep reason and common sense. Let the Governor keep his name out of the pot if he don't want to see it 'bile' over and put out the fire. James D. Black is the man of the hour and has done more for his party and people than any other to be found in a month o' Sundays. Nominate Black and his election is assured.

A LEFT-HANDER from Ed Walton's paper: "As usual the Somerset Republican is wrong. We did not say that Mr. O. H. Waddle went to the republican party for office. What we said was plain enough for any numbskull to understand except possibly Mr. Hansford. Having known Mr. Waddle for many years, and aware of his large law practice, we are surprised at his accepting office. Certainly from a financial standpoint he can not afford to do so."

THE LANCASTER RECORD, one of Kentucky's best weeklies, will be issued Friday hereafter. We wish Louis would issue his sheet daily.

TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF THE 28TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

The candidacy of Judge Morrow and Mr. Shadon for the judgeship of this judicial district developed such bitterness between their respective friends as to do incalculable harm to the Republican party. To avoid such results these gentlemen have by mutual consent, and the consent of their respective friends as far as they could be consulted, withdrawn with the understanding that I would agree to announce my candidacy for that office. To do this involved a great personal sacrifice on my part from a business standpoint, and will entail on me official duties I neither sought or desired, but through the urgency of both of these gentlemen and their friends, I finally yielded to the demand to relieve the strained situation and prevent disruption in the party.

I am therefore a candidate subject to the action of the Republican Party, to be expressed in County and District Convention to be held on the 15th and 22nd days of November, 1902.

Entrusted with your banner I promise to carry it to victory, and to the people I guarantee a faithful and conscientious discharge of the high trust reposed in me.

Somerset, October 28, 1902.  
Respectfully,  
C. H. WADDLE.

## LIVINGSTON

Mrs. Robert Payne died Tuesday, November 11th, at her home near town, after a lingering illness of consumption. She was about 25 years of age. She leaves a husband, three children, two brothers, a sister and father to mourn their loss. She was a Christian and died in full faith and the happiness of meeting her Savior and loved ones gone before.

Asleep in Jesus, perfect rest!  
Whose waking is supremely blest,  
No fear, no foe shall dim that hour,  
That manifests the Savior's power.

Mrs. Minnie Hooper and son, of Lebanon Junction, are the guests of Mrs. W. F. Perkins and Miss Laura Greer.—Mrs. J. E. Davis and sister, Miss Jennie Hammonds, spent several days this week in Louisville.—Miss Ella Howell entertained a number of her friends, at the Mullins Hotel, Monday evening.—Messrs. Chewning, Sanders and Beard came home from Mt. Vernon, Sunday.—Arthur Botner, John Argenbright and Frank Burton were here Saturday and Sunday.—D. S. McKinney, J. C. Hocken and W. C. Mullins, are in the mountains of Eastern Kentucky, this week.—Miss Bertina Mullins visited at Mt. Vernon, Saturday.—There will be a first-class minstrel show, at Calloway Hall, Thanksgiving evening Nov. 27.—Misses Nellie Thompson and Brown are established at Mrs. Harry Thompson's and will be glad to meet the ladies of Livingston.—We would be pleased at all times to make any kind of announcements for our churches, but ask that all items be given in early.—The Delsarte entertainment Saturday evening was success financially and otherwise. Mesdames Parker, Magee and Smith, Misses Dillon, Doan, Hendron, Cabel, Mullins, Tubbs, Parsley, Hays, Sambrook, Mitchell, Anna and Lizzie Fishback, and Lula Argenbright, Messrs. Harry Lee, Will Soden and Fred Stark were the home talent represented. The Duke Drill brought down the house.—If you have any visitors, or go visiting yourself, please inform us of the fact, so we can make mention of it. We want to give all the news and will be thankful for any favors shown us. Telephone No. 18 or leave items at the drugstore, or just "any old way," so we get them.

Smith Kelley was in Mt. Vernon Wednesday.—Boston Durham was in town Tuesday.—Ben Cox, traveling salesman for Brooks Mead & Co., is in town this week.—Chas. Chandler, a flour and meal drummer, of Pittsburg, was here Monday.—Nelson Griffin, of Maretburg, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. A. Mullins, and son, David Griffin.—Ed. Owens was here from Lexington Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. John Magee, Mesdames Mahala Carson, Brack Hayes, Wilmot Poynter and Ballard Mullins have been on the sick list this week.—Mrs. Ed. Woodall returned home Saturday from Maretburg.—Mrs. Bessie Murphy, of Lebanon Junction, is visiting Mrs. J. R. Stucky.—Miss Ella May Saunders is at Corbin. She will give a Delsarte Entertainment there in the near future.—Mrs. Lewis, of Jellico, visited her brother, John Reynolds, at the Riverside Mansion last week. Mrs. Russell Dillon, Atwood and Lynn Neal, are visiting Mrs. J. H. Tucker, at Maywood.—Miss Gladys Ewers, of Mt. Vernon, was the guest of Miss Maggie Sambrook Monday and Tuesday.—Mrs. A. J. Samms was in town shopping Tuesday.—Mrs. L. C. Smith and little son, of Wildie, were the guests of her aunt, Mrs. W. R. Dillon Sunday and Monday.—Mrs. J. B. Singleton is visiting her sister Mrs. Laura Freeman near Somerset.—Dr. W. J. Childress visited homefolks at Orlando Sunday. Mrs. W. J. Childress visited her parents at Pine Hill.—Miss Gertrude Martin returned to Brodhead Sunday. She was the guest of Mrs. Susie Sharp.—Kin Pike and family, of Wilmore, and Mrs. Martha Payne, of Gum Sulphur, were here on account of the death of Mrs. Bob Payne.—Mrs. Brownlie of East Bernstadt, is visiting Mrs. Van Nuys at the Sambrook hotel. —Ed. Shay went to Covington Wednesday.—Sam Brenton, of Stonega, W. Va., was with his friend, Doc Calloway, Tuesday.—Bob Cole of Barbourville, was at the Riverside Mansion Wednesday. The ladies of the Presbyterian church are holding house to house prayer meeting this week. They were entertained at the Sambrook hotel Tuesday, and by Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper Wednesday afternoon.—Mrs. John R. Carter and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Preston, at Jellico this week.—There will be Baptist services at Calloway Hall Sunday 16th conducted by the Rev. J. C. Carmichael, of Mt. Vernon.—Rev. W. E. Isenhart was called to Rich-

mond Wednesday on account of the death of Mrs. James Brown.—Mrs. Francis Mershon and family moved Tuesday in one of Mrs. Sue Mullin's houses on Main St.—W. B. Dillon was in Stanford Friday.—Mr. and M. B. King, of Pineville, passed through here Saturday en route to Lincoln county. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Stark left for their new home at Lebanon Junction Tuesday.

## SCRAPS.

(BY JET.)

Give every man a fair deal since you want one yourself.

Customer—You said this suit would wear like iron.

Clother—Well, didn't it?

Customer—Too much so. It's getting rusty already.

May—Oh, I hate these magazine serials!

Edith—Why?

May—You can never tell how a story ends until it is finished.

J. Pierpont Morgan's earnings are 42 millions this year. Cheap enough. We would not undertake to own and run the world for a cent less.—Somerset Journal.

Ethel—What is more aggravating than a man who tells you of his love and never mentions matrimony?

Edith—Oh, a man who tells you of his money and never mentions matrimony.

According to an official report there were between January 1, 1901, and March 31, 1902, 1,844 strikes in Italy, involving 438,000 men. Two-thirds of these strikes, organized by the socialists, resulted favorably to the men.

"You bear it like a little man," said the dentist, after he had pulled the tooth.

"Huh!" exclaimed Tommy, "I'm a heap grittier than that. I bear it like a little woman."

For Tommy was an observant boy.

The Steam Auto—"So you're using that thing to reduce your weight. I shouldn't think there would be sufficient exercise in it for that."

"No, but every time the water gets low I loose about five pounds expecting it to blow up."

"Yes," said Mrs. Corntossel, "the trusts has broke up our sor, Josh."

"Did they crowd him out of business?"

"Yes. Josh says that a man with jes' a million or two of dollars doesn't stand any show against the monopolists, an' he might as well quit savin' up money."

Mabel—Poor Eliza! They say she married her for her money.

Tom—Well, he earned it.

Mr. Justwed—Shall I order anything for the house on my way to the office this morning, my dear?

Mr. Justwed—Yes, love. Step at the grocery store and tell them to send up a five-pound bag of salt right away. And, George, tell them to be sure and see that it is fresh.

A writer in speaking of a Louisiana "cullud" person says: "The negro would butt anything that happened to cross him, and if he had ever had occasion I don't suppose he would have drawn the line on a billy goat, a ram or a bull. The incident I have in mind convinced me that he would not draw the line. One morning he got out to the horse lot earlier than usual and was in a bad humor for some reason. He started to take his bad feeling out on the mule he was to plow with during the day. The first thing he did was to smash his water jug over the mule's head. This did not hurt the mule so much and did not satisfy the negro. He was in one of his more violent fits.

Grabbing the mule by the ears with each hand he pulled himself back a full arm's length and landed his head with great violence on the top of the mule's head. If the mule had been struck between the ears with an ax he would not have dropped to the ground more quickly. He fell like a dead ox. But he got up again. The negro was apparently satisfied after this and

went on to the field. When it came to down-right hartheadedness he was the most remarkable member I ever saw."

There is a young bachelor not a thousand miles away who wants a nice housekeeper. He is extremely modest in his requirements; one who can cook to perfection, milk six cows, attend the garden and incidentally shuck a little corn for the hogs. Anyone knowing of such a girl will please let him know through the columns of THE DEMOCRAT. P. S.—She must also be stylish and a good looker.—Winstonchester Democrat.

The girl who can do all the things which the bachelor above referred to mentions in his list of requirements for election to his good graces, is certainly a competent and convenient sort of a companion, but the girl who would do them deserves no better fate than to be hooked for life to just the sort of 18-karat villain as the gentleman referred to by THE DEMOCRAT. Of course Clark county will find it difficult to keep its maidens from brushing themselves up in that mad rush to seize this bargain-counter offer.—Lexington Leader.

STARTLING, BUT TRUE.

"If every one knew what a grand medicine Dr. King's New Life Pills is," writes D. H. Turner, Dempseytown, Pa., "you'd sell all you have in a day. Two weeks' use has made a new man of me." Infallible for constipation, stomach and liver troubles. 25c. at all drugists.

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DON'T neglect your CHILDREN'S EYES. Difficult cases solicited.

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MILLER HOTEL, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Mrs. Leadham—Only three months married and I've already awakened from my dream.

Mr. Leadham—Thunder! you're in luck. I wish something would awaken me from my nightmare.

LUCK IN THIRTEEN.

By sending 13 miles Wm. Spirey, of Walton Furnace, At., got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, that wholly cured a horrible Fever sore on his leg. Nothing else could. Positively cures Bruises, Felons, Ulcers, Eruptions, Boils, Burns, Corus and Piles. Only 25c. Guaranteed by all druggists.

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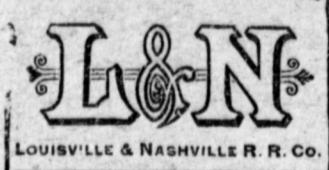
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## Mt. Vernon Signal

MT VERNON, KY., NOV. 14, 1902

79 Call up "No. 79" when you want to communicate with SIGNAL. 79



TIME TABLE.

24 north ..... 10:55 a m  
26 north ..... 1:04 p m  
23 south ..... 2:00 p m  
25 South ..... 1:39 a m

JAS. LANDRUM, Agent.  
Phone No. 58.

Entered at the Mt. Vernon, Ky., Post-office as second-class mail matter

### PERSONALS

Frank Miller has fever.  
J. J. Lawrence is now located in Texas.

Rev. R. B. Mahony was here Monday.

Col. J. T. Adams is suffering with rheumatism.

Mrs. R. L. Payne died Tuesday, of consumption.

Dr. John M. Williams went to Louisville Tuesday.

J. W. Parsons and family visited at Stanford first of the week.

Little Mattie B. Sparks has been very sick this week.

Mrs. Mattie Hiatt, of near Langford, is now, of consumption.

Elisha Renner presented Dr. Davis with a five-pound turnip.

J. T. Gentry, L. & N. brakeman was at home for a few days this week.

Mrs. M. B. DeBorde visited her sister, Mrs. David Henderson, this week.

Mr. E. D. Hansel came in yesterday from Lawrenceburg to spend a few days.

W. T. Smith, who has been very ill for some time, is again able to be on the streets.

Mrs. G. W. Gentry, Sr., has returned from a visit to relatives at Lebanon Junction.

Dr. Hunt is trying to arrange a trip for the school to Cumberland Gap Thanksgiving.

Ernest Ewers' cheerful voice is being heard again by his many friends in Mt. Vernon.

Elbert Hansel is at home this week on account of the illness of his mother and brother.

W. T. Brooks was down from Hazel Patch, Wednesday. A bigger hearted man than Tony never lived.

County Attorney L. W. Bethurum and wife will break-up house keeping and go to the hotel to board.

R. B. Mahoney, of Stanford, and Circuit Clerk Griffin are working up fire insurance in Scaffold County to-day.

S. C. Franklin, jeweler and ginseng gardener, has been down with malaria for a week or more but is able to be around to-day.

W. H. Jones, the watchmaker, has had a three weeks siege of fever but is gradually improving and will probably be out in a few days.

Mr. I. Gudenrath, the lumberman, was here with J. N. Smith, Thursday, and left for Oklahoma where he has purchased a large tract of walnut.

Mrs. Schooler, of near Paint Lick, passed through on Tuesday's afternoon train en route to Barberville, to visit her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Adams.

We met our old friend E. Bullock, while in Crab Orchard Tuesday, and he told us that he had met with splendid success this season in the fruit tree business. He will travel for a saddle and harness house after the first of the year.

The Mineral Springs Telegraph Co., has appointed Minor Fish, general manager and James D. Proctor, superintendent. Oscar Bryant, Lloyd Maret and Miss Eva Fish directors. J. D. Proctor secretary and treasurer. Headquarters Mt. Vernon.

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### LOCALS

Pretty fall weather.

Two houses were burned at Marenburg, Wednesday night.

Supt. G. M. Ballard informs us that he now has the money to pay the teachers.

Hay for Sale.—125 bales of best timothy hay for sale. Call and see me. W. G. HIATT. novt-4t.

Dead.—Mrs. George Doan died at Pine Hill Monday morning from hemorrhages of the lungs.

HOUK & ADAMS, Mt. Vernon, Ky., will take all the scrap iron you bring them and pay you 25c. a 100. oct-24-tf

New phones put in. One at J. W. Parsons' jail, 56-3. James F. Griffin's residence, 81-4. County Judge's office now 56-2.

Beasley & Co., Stanford, carry the nicest and most up-to-date furniture to be found anywhere in Eastern Kentucky. If you don't believe it go and see for yourself. 10-24-tf

Old Stoves and all other old scrap iron, is what we are hankering after. 25cts. a hundred. HOUK & ADAMS, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Hustle out and bring us all the scrap iron obtainable, any old scraps will do. 25cts. per 100. HOUK & ADAMS, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

The prospective candidates for circuit clerkship are as follows: Willis Sigman, W. A. B. Davis, Thomas Nicely, J. J. Cook, Lee Rash and J. F. Griffin, the present clerk.

The Whitehead planing mill is now working every day in the week. The sawmill department is full up on supply of logs, the yard being completely covered. Neal Parrett, the excellent carpenter and builder, is one of the mainstays in the operating department.

Farm for Sale.—I have for sale a farm of 127 acres, lying on the waters of Brush Creek, two miles north of Level Green, Good house and outbuildings. Orchard and well watered. Terms easy. For further information call on Henry Catron, Level Green, Ky. 10-24-tf

The Cumberland Pipe Line Co. have reached London with their telegraph wire which they are putting up over their route from Somerset to Parkersburg, W. Va. The office is in London Telephone exchange.

We understand that Mr. Alter, of Cincinnati, has purchased the outstanding stock of the Kentucky Freestone Company, with quarries at Langford, and now owns the entire plant. Work will continue with vigor.

The Republicans will meet in convention here to-morrow to select delegates to Somerset convention which convenes on the 22, to nominate candidates for Circuit Judge and Commonwealth's Attorney of this district.

Mrs. Fred Oliver, of Topeka, Kansas, writes Mrs. C. C. Williams that the window, which the late Miss Clara Whitehead donated to the First Christian church of that city, had been beautifully draped and massed with flowers in memory of one, who worked faithfully and earnestly for the Master's cause.

AGENTS WANTED.—Traveling and local agents wanted. Men and women to take orders for books on a guaranteed salary of forty or fifty-five dollars a month. Traveling general agents to appoint sub-agents, two dollars a day and all expenses paid. Now is the chance, be quick.

S. RIDDLE, Gen. Ag't. Mt. Vernon, Ky.

TO THE TAX-PAYERS OF ROCKCASTLE COUNTY:

I, one of my deputies will be at Green Proctor's store on Friday Nov. 21, 1902, and at Brodhead Saturday Nov. 22, at Livingston Thursday Nov. 20, and Saturday Nov. 22, 1902. I want to say now that this will be my last call. Your taxes are long past due, and if your taxes are not paid on or before the first day of December I will be compelled and will levy to collect.

I do not want to collect your taxes by restraint but will do so if you force me. The Auditor must be settled with, and the claims against the county have to be paid, and it takes money to settle them.

H. L. TATE, S. R. C.

Ladies wanting any dress making done, should call on Misses Brown and Thompson, at Mrs. H. B. Thompson's residence, Livingston.

BOYS.—Bring us iron; all kinds scrap iron; will pay you 25cts. per hundred. HOUK & ADAMS, oct-24-tf Mt. Vernon, Ky.

John Nevius and Warren Hughes came up from Stanford, Wednesday, to try to arrange a game of foot-ball with our boys for Thanksgiving, but on their arrival it was found that a game for an earlier date could be played, and it was decided to have the game about 11 o'clock that night in the lobby of the Miller Hotel. Proprietor Hugh Miller was center rush and Messrs. Hughes and Nevius played the part of right and left tackle. The Thanksgiving game was indefinitely postponed.

R. W. Cole, traveling salesman and also secretary of the Common Sense Oil Co., of Knox county, was here Tuesday and told us that his company now had a deal on hand to get a lease on 100 acres of land lying between the Wages and Jones gushers, which means that they will pretty sure strike some oil, if they carry through the deal. Backed up by the leading men of Barberville, with hustling Bob Cole to push it, we may expect good reports from the Common Sense Oil and Gas Co.

Judge J. C. Chenault recently came into possession of an old deed which was given four years before Kentucky became a State. The old patent is on sheep skin and is dated Jan. 16, 1788. It was made in favor of Catlett Conway, giving him, "to have and hold," one thousand seven hundred and eighty-five acres of land, lying on Rockcastle river in Lincoln county, Ky. The document bears the signature of Edmund Randolph, third governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia. The land lies in what is now Rockcastle county and is owned by the Big Hill Coal Company.—Richmond Climax.

In a box within circuit clerks office here are still resting the bones of James S. Millis, placed there more than twenty years ago, after being exhibited in a trial of persons charged with his murder, in Pulaski county, about the close of the war, 1864. The bones had remained in a cave for a long time before being discovered and later brought to Mt. Vernon as mute witness of a murder in the long ago. A letter from Whitley county making inquiries in the case was received here a few days since recalled the circumstances of the clerks office having given sepulture to Millis' bones for nearly a quarter of a century.

IN MEMORY.

Whereas, Milton H. Purdom, a member of the Mt. Vernon Tent, No. 21, of the Knights of the Maccabees, lost his life Aug. 25, 1902, in a wreck on the Louisville Southern Railroad, while in the performance of his duties as an employee on said road, and while in the vigor of youthful manhood; therefore be it resolved:

1st.—That in his death the Order of the Knights of Maccabees has lost a member, who was conscientious and courageous; his aged parents a son, who, regardless of the hurry of business, took time to manifest to them his love and devotion; his brothers and sisters, a brother, who was at all times, and under all circumstances, agreeable and affectionate.

2nd.—That in this hour of sadness and affliction, the bereaved parents, brothers and sisters have the full sympathy of this Tent and the benevolent Order of which the deceased was a member.

3rd.—That a copy of these resolutions be published in the Mt. Vernon SIGNAL, and that a copy be put on record on the minutes of the Mt. Vernon Tent of the Knights of Maccabees, and that a copy be mailed to the parents of the deceased.

L. W. BETHURUM, J. N. SMITH, J. D. PROCTOR, J. E. CRAIG, JAMES E. HOUK.

Well, the corporation has made another start. The board of trustees met yesterday and took some action towards starting it out. Teller Parsons commenced this morning to assess.

TO THE PUBLIC.

To whom this may concern:

As we see a piece in the last week's SIGNAL from A. C. Sowder, of Level Green, concerning Eld. J. L. Davis accusing him of being a "hypocrite, scoundrel and falsifier and unworthy the confidence or respect of all decent people," we the Elders and Deacons of the church of Christ, at Providence, deem it our duty as Bro. Davis has been preaching here two years and commenced on his third year, to say that the above charges are untrue and cannot be proven.

G. B. SUTTON, J. L. BROWN, W. H. MILLER, J. E. CRAIG, P. Q. GRIFFIN, Elders. Deacons. Quail, Ky., Nov. 10, 1902.

Sunday night as Policeman Henry McDonald, of Barberville, was walking along Main street he accidentally snapped a pair of nippers which he had in his pocket. To his surprise a man who stood leaning against a building suddenly wheeled around and cried: "All right, Captain, I'll go with you. I have been expecting this ever since I escaped from prison."

It took the policeman some time to recover from his surprise, but recovering his presence of mind, replied: "All right, then, come along to jail."

On his way to the station the man confessed that he had been sent up three years from Fleming county for housebreaking and after serving six months of his sentence

broke through the guard and escaped.

The man gave his name as Chap Gee. The authorities at Frankfort were telegraphed and yesterday the local authorities received word to hold Gee until a deputy could reach Barberville.

Gee was standing with his back to the policeman as he came along and thought the noise made by the nippers clasping together was the click of a pistol in the policeman's hands.

It is understood the reward for Gee's arrest is \$100.

BRODHEAD

Rev. Kim Pike is in our town today, Wednesday.

A. E. Albright is building a new house on Main street.

Mrs. Sinkhorn, of Junction City, is visiting Mrs. R. S. Martin.

Mrs. Ruben Sherber will return to her home at Cincinnati, Ohio.

The protracted meeting at the Baptist church conducted by Rev. Noel, is progressing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Potts, who have been very sick for quite a while, are improving slowly.

Miss Clida B. Watson has been very sick for a few days, but is improving some to day, Wednesday.

Mr. A. F. Butner, one of old and reliable citizens, is suffering with Asthma and threatened with pneumonia.

Mr. F. Francisco has charge of the Frith Hotel and Mr. Robert Collier has moved into Mr. Butner's property.

It is reported that John Tharp, who was hurt in Indian Territory, is improving. Mrs. Bettie Tharp received a telegram from I. T. stating that her son, John Tharp, was seriously hurt and she left here Saturday for that point.

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## Our Special \$1.00 Offer.

5 pounds granulated Sugar	25 cts.
1-2 pound roasted coffee	5 cts.
1 bar "Big Deal" soap	2 1-2 cts.
1/2 gallon bucket	10 cts.
2 pounds soda	2 1-2 cts.
1-2 gallon best oil	5 cts.
1-4 pound best tea	15 cts.
12 pounds good flour	25 cts.
1 pound lard	10 cts.
Total	\$1.00.

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10 pounds granulated sugar	50 cts
1 pound best roasted coffee	15 cts
2 bars "Big Deal" soap	5 cts
1 and a half gallon bucket	10 cts
4 pounds soda	5 cts
1 gallon best oil	10 cts
1 half gallon bucket	5 cts
1-2 pound best tea	30 cts
1 sack good flour	50 cts
2 pounds lard	20 cts
Total	\$2.00.

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July 18th

### Commissioners Sale.

ROCKCASTLE CIRCTIT COURT.  
W. T. Houk, etc., Plaintiffs,  
vs.

Matilda Houk, etc., Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Rockcastle Circuit Court, rendered at the September term, 1862, of said court, in the above styled action, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the front door of the court house, in Mt. Vernon, Ky., to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Monday the 24th day of Nov., 1862, between the hours of 8 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., being County Court day—upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

1st. A certain tract of land located in Rockcastle county, Ky., and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a wild cherry stump, the S. E. corner of Dower tract; thence N. 70 1/4 W. 55 poles 11 links to a stone on the east edge of the Skaggs Creek road; thence with said road S. 24 1/4 W. 16 poles 20 links to a stake; thence S. 30 E. 10 poles; thence S. 7 W. 16 poles; thence S. 1 1/2 W. 10 poles 19 links to a white oak on the east side of the road, corner to the land claimed by George Smith; thence with the lines down by said Smith, N. 58 E. 12 poles 17 links to the northern point of the large stone just above the spring; thence S. 55 1/4 E. 3 poles and 10 links to a stone; thence S. 3 1/4 E. 8 poles and 14 links to a stone with buckeye pointers; thence S. 60 1/4 E. 13 1/2 poles to a stone in Mrs. A. Fish's line; thence with said line N. 36 1/4 E. 53 1/2 poles to the place of the beginning, containing 13 acres and 110 square yards.

2nd. A certain house and lot located in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle county, Ky., and bounded as follows:

Beginning at the N. W. corner of the lot owned by R. G. Williams and in the South line of Old Main Street, thence with the line of street N. 67 W. 3 poles 10 links to the N. E. corner of Dower tract; thence with two lines of same S. 22 W. 6 poles and 23 links to a stone; thence S. 67 E. 3 poles and 40 links, passing over the center of the well to a stake in the west line of R. G. Williams' lot; thence with said line N. 22 E. 6 poles and 23 links to the place of beginning, containing 25 square yards.

3rd. A dwelling house, store house and lot, on which said dwelling and said store house are located and situated in the town of Mt. Vernon, Ky., and bounded as follows:

On the north by New Main St. on the east by the lot of S. C. Davis, on the south by Old Main St. and on the west by the lot of J. L. Joplin.

For the purchase price the purchaser, or purchasers must execute bond with approved surety, bearing legal interest from day of the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will come prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

B. J. BETHURUM,  
Master Com.

"This," exclaimed the superintendent of the Hospital for Infants, "is the colic ward."

"Ah!" mused the visitor.

"Cramped quarters, eh?"

### CURRENT EVENTS.

A Paper Read by Miss Fannie Sparks Before the Collegiate Institute, Tuesday Nov. 11.

NOVEMBER 4TH.

The universal Postal Stamp for sale in all countries is recommended by Asst. Postmaster Gen. William S. Shallenberger. H. K. Berme has been nominated without

opposition for Representative by the Democrats of Henry county.

—President Roosevelt arrived at Oyster Bay last evening to remain over for the election.—At Lexington yesterday Judge Parker appointed attorneys to defend Earl

Whitney and Claude O'Brien.

George Hunt and J. H. Beauchamp, two of the four appointees, asked to be excused because of

their relation with the late A. B. Chinn. Judge Parker will make

another appointment next Monday.

—County Judge Lightfoot, of McCracken county, in a decision

rendered at Paducah yesterday, held that the Board of health had

no power to make laws enforcing

vaccination and the Legislature in

endowing the board with such

power, exceeded its authority.—

Judge Shelby, of the U. S. Circuit

Court, yesterday appointed Law-

rence Cooper receiver of the South-

ern Building and Loan Association

of Houston, Ala.—The Cuban

Congress which adjourned Oct. 20,

reconvened yesterday. Pres. Pal-

ma, in his message to Congress,

takes an optimistic view of the

future of the republic.—The Anthracite Strike Commission spent

yesterday in the Lehigh Valley re-

gion, visiting one mine and many

mining villages.

NOV. 5TH.—Indications are that

the Republicans will control the

next House.—The Democrats have

a large majority in Kentucky.—

The face of returns indicate the

re-election of Gov. Odell in N. Y.

—The result in Delaware, which

has been without a U. S. Senator

for several years, indicates that the

Legislature will on joint ballot,

will be deadlocked.—By a prema-

ture explosion of fireworks at Mad-

ison Square Garden, to celebrate

the announcement of the New York

elections last night ten persons are

believed to have been killed and a

number seriously injured. 500 ex-

tra policemen were ordered on duty

to look after the dead and dying.—

Mrs. Robert J. Burdett, first vice

president of the Federation of Wo-

man's Clubs, made the statement

before a woman's club in Chicago

that if a club does not make a wo-

man the best companion for her

husband and the best comrade for

her son, there is something the mat-

ter with the club or woman.—The

Columbian Government wants \$10,

000,000 instead of \$7,000,000 in

the treaty with the U. S. in confer-

ing the necessary rights on the

latter for the constructions of the

canal across the isthmus.—The Venezuelan forces gained a decisive victory over the rebels. Riera the head of the revolutionists, is reported to have been slain.—It is believed the annual meeting of the L. & N. stockholders will adjourn again to-day without transacting any business.

NOV. 6TH.—Gov. Odell's plu-

rality is destined at 12,887. The Democratic leaders will meet to-

day in N. Y. to formulate plans for

a contest.—James B. Frazier, the

Democrat candidate for Governor of Tennessee, has a majority of nearly

50,000.—The Interstate Commerce

Commission has assembled in Chi-

ago to hear complaints of alleged

infringement to the rule relating to

rates on meat in the West. The

railroads, it is said, will fight the

rates in court.—John Craig, who

was in charge of the explosives at

Madison Square Garden, N. Y., is

held on \$10,000 bond by the Coro-

ner.—President Roosevelt, yester-

day at Philadelphia, delivered the

chief address at the second centen-

ial anniversary celebration by the

Pennsylvania Grand Lodge of

George Washington's apprenticeship

into the Masonic fraternity.—Practically all the town of Cal-

houn Falls, embracing 700 acres

was yesterday put up at auction and

sold for \$14,000. The town was

built by an improvement company

but proved a failure.—The State